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1. The information disclosure statement (IDS) submitted on 4/21/2006 and 06/01/2006 (duplicated) . The submission is in compliance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. Accordingly, the information disclosure statement is being considered by the examiner
2. This letter is attached with the copies of form 1449.

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